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PROGRAM, SERVER-LOAD-BALANCING  
METHOD, AND SERVER-LOAD-BALANCING  
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- (X) Claim for Priority and Priority Document.



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|--------------------------------------|----------|---|-----------|---|------------------|-----------------------------------|
| a) Basic Fee                         |          |   |           |   |                  | \$ 770.00                         |
| b) Independent Claims                | <u>4</u> | - | <u>3</u>  | = | <u>1</u>         | x \$ 86.00 = \$ <u>86.00</u>      |
| c) Total Claims                      | <u>8</u> | - | <u>20</u> | = | <u>0</u>         | x \$ 18.00 = \$ <u>          </u> |
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